

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/785,558	Applicant(s) HULSE, GEORGE R.	
	Examiner Jacob Y. Choi	Art Unit 2875	

All Participants:

(1) Jacob Y. Choi.

(2) David W. Nagle, Jr..

Status of Application: Non-Final Rejection

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(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 22 November 2005

Time: 5:00PM

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

claims rejections under 35 USC § 102 & 35 USC § 103

Claims discussed:

1, 16, & 19

Prior art documents discussed:

Grenda et al. (USPN 6,948,840) & Steen et al. (US 2005/0169002)

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: After examiner has further searched and examined amendments, filed on 9/19/2005, discussed newly found prior art documents, listed above, over independent claim 1 and their dependent claims. Also discussed allowable claims, independent claims 16 & 19. Accordingly, applicant proposed the following claim amendments, filed 11/22/2005, to expedite allowance of the application. .